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SUBJECT: VOLUNTARY VISITOR PROGRAM: WORKING YOUTH TEAM

1. POST REQUESTS SELECTIVE FACILITATIVE ASSISANCE IN THE U.S. FOR A WORKING YOUTH TEAM SPONSORED BY WORKING WOMEN AND YOUTH SOCIETY (ESTABLISHED BY REPRESENTATIVE KENZABURO HARA (LDP), FORMER MINISTER OF LABOR). TEAM COMPOSED OF 28 YOUTH, AGE 18-25, INCLUDING 7-8 WOMEN PLUS 2 LEADERS, AND TRAVEL AGENT/INTERPRETER.

OBJECTIVES OF VISIT ARE TO PROMOTE CLOSER JAPANESE-UNITED STATES RELATIONSAND TO STRENGTHEN TIES AMONG YOUTH IN THE FREE WORLD. SOCIETY REQUESTS MAKE APPOINTMENT AFTERNOON OCTOBER 23 WITH SECRETARY DUNLOP OR OTHER HIGH RANKING LABOR DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL. TEAM WILL CARRY AN AUTOGRAPHED LETTER FROM JAPANESE MINISTER OF LABOR. TEAM ALSO DESIRES PICTURE TAKING WITH SECRETARY DUNLOP IF POSSIBLE AND A BRIEFING BY DEPT. OF LABOR OR AFL-CIO ON WORKING CONDITIONS OF YOUNG WORKERS IN U.S. ON OCTOBER 29 TEAM WSHEs TO VISIT LOCKHEED AIRCRAFT PLANT, MEET WITH YONG WORKERS AND DISCUSS WORKING CONDITIONS WITH BOTH MANAGEMENT AND LABOR REPRESENTATIVES. ALSO REQUEST RECONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENT AT THE ASHLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN ASHLAND, KANSAS, WHICH TRAVEL AGENT ESCORT RECENTLY UNCLASSIFIED

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2. ITINERARY: OCTOBER 23 - ARRIVE WASHINGTON, D.C.
FROM NEW YORK, OCTOBER 24 - DEPART WASHINGTON FOR
ASHLAND, KANSAS, OCTOBER 28 - ARRIVE LOS ANGELES
VIA DENVER. NAME OF HOTEL: WASHINGTON, D.C. -
BELLEVUE HOTEL; ASHLAND - UNKNOWN, LOS ANGELES -
CHANCELLER HOTEL.

3. TEAM WILL BE IN U.S. OCTOBER 19-31 BUT
ASSISTANCE REQUESTED ONLY AS ABOVE. IT IS SUGGESTED
THAT A MESSAGE BE LEFT AT THE WASHINGTON HOTEL, C/O
TRAVEL AGENT ESCORT MR. NORIYUKI FUJII.
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